

THE DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR SYSTEMS OF THE UNITED STATES.

We present below the act which passed at the late session of Congress remodelling the Diplomatic and Consular systems. It prescribes the salaries of all of our agents abroad. We omit only those portions of the act that contain uninteresting matters of detail.

It is as follows:

It is enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the thirtieth day of June next the President of the United States shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint representatives of the grade of envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to the following countries, who shall receive an annual compensation for their services not exceeding the amount specified herein for each:

Great Britain, seventeen thousand five hundred dollars.
France, fifteen thousand dollars.
Spain, twelve thousand dollars.
Russia, twelve thousand dollars.
Austria, twelve thousand dollars.
Prussia, twelve thousand dollars.
Switzerland, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Rome, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Naples, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Sardinia, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Belgium, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Holland, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Portugal, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Denmark, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Sweden, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Turkey, nine thousand dollars.

China, fifteen thousand dollars.
Brazil, twelve thousand dollars.
Peru, ten thousand dollars.
Cuba, nine thousand dollars.
Argentina, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
New Granada, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Bolivia, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Ecuador, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Venezuela, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Guatemala, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Nicaragua, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Mexico, twelve thousand dollars.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That, from and after the thirtieth day of June next, the President of the United States shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint secretaries of legation to the following countries, who shall receive an annual compensation for their services not exceeding the amount specified herein for each:

Great Britain, twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.
France, twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.
Spain, twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.
Russia, twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.
Austria, twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.
Prussia, twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.
Switzerland, fifteen hundred dollars.

Rome, fifteen hundred dollars.
Naples, fifteen hundred dollars.
Sardinia, fifteen hundred dollars.
Belgium, fifteen hundred dollars.
Holland, fifteen hundred dollars.
Portugal, fifteen hundred dollars.
Denmark, fifteen hundred dollars.
Sweden, fifteen hundred dollars.
Turkey, fifteen hundred dollars.

Brazil, fifteen hundred dollars.
Peru, fifteen hundred dollars.
Cuba, fifteen hundred dollars.
Argentina, fifteen hundred dollars.
New Granada, fifteen hundred dollars.
Bolivia, fifteen hundred dollars.
Ecuador, fifteen hundred dollars.
Venezuela, fifteen hundred dollars.
Guatemala, fifteen hundred dollars.

Nicaragua, fifteen hundred dollars.
Mexico, fifteen hundred dollars.
Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That from and after the thirtieth day of June next, the President of the United States shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint a Commissioner to the State of Mexico, who shall receive an annual compensation for his services of six thousand dollars; an interpreter to the mission in China, who shall receive for his services two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; and a dragoman to the mission to Turkey, who shall receive for his services twenty-five hundred dollars per annum.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That from and after the thirtieth day of June next, the President of the United States shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint Consuls for the United States, to reside at the following places, who shall receive, during their continuance in office an annual compensation for their services not exceeding the amount specified herein for each, and who shall not be permitted to transact, under their official character, and in a sum not less than two thousand dollars, business either in their own name or through the agency of others:

GREAT BRITAIN.
London, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Liverpool, seven thousand five hundred dollars.
Glasgow, four thousand dollars.
Dundee, two thousand dollars.
Newcastle, fifteen hundred dollars.
Belfast, two thousand dollars.
Hong Kong, three thousand dollars.
Canton, three thousand five hundred dollars.
Hankow, two thousand dollars.
Shanghai, two thousand dollars.

FRANCE.
Paris, five thousand dollars.
Marseilles, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Bordeaux, two thousand dollars.
Lyons, one thousand dollars.
Nantes, one thousand dollars.
HOLLAND.
Rotterdam, one thousand dollars.
Amsterdam, one thousand dollars.

PRUSSIA.
Aix-la-Chapelle, two thousand five hundred dollars.
FRANCE.
Paris, five thousand dollars.
Marseilles, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Bordeaux, two thousand dollars.
Lyons, one thousand dollars.
Nantes, one thousand dollars.

SPAIN.
Cadix, fifteen hundred dollars.
Málaga, fifteen hundred dollars.
St. Jago de Cuba, two thousand dollars.
Matanzas, three thousand dollars.
St. Jago de Cuba, two thousand dollars.
Ponce, (P. R.) two thousand dollars.
Havana, six thousand dollars.

PORTUGAL.
Lisbon, fifteen hundred dollars.
Funchal, fifteen hundred dollars.
BELGIUM.
Antwerp, two thousand five hundred dollars.
RUSSIA.
St. Petersburg, two thousand five hundred dollars.
DENMARK.
St. Thomas, four thousand dollars.
Elseneur, fifteen hundred dollars.

AUSTRIA.
Trieste, two thousand dollars.
Vienna, one thousand dollars.
SAXONY.
Leipzig, fifteen hundred dollars.
BAVARIA.
Munich, one thousand dollars.
HANSEATIC AND FREE CITIES.
Bremen, two thousand dollars.
Hamburg, two thousand dollars.

FRANKFORT-ON-THINE.
Including the Grand Duchy of Hesse-Darmstadt, the Electorate of Hesse-Cassel, the Duchy of Nassau, and the Landgraviate of Hesse-Homburg, two thousand dollars.

WÜRTEMBERG.
Stuttgart, one thousand dollars.
BADEN.
Carlsruhe, one thousand dollars.
SWITZERLAND.
Basle, fifteen hundred dollars.
Zurich, fifteen hundred dollars.
Geneva, fifteen hundred dollars.

SARDINIA.
Genoa, one thousand five hundred dollars.
TUSCANY.
Leghorn, fifteen hundred dollars.
KINGDOM OF THE TWO SICILIES.
Naples, fifteen hundred dollars.
Palermo, fifteen hundred dollars.
Messina, one thousand dollars.

TURKISH DOMINIONS.
Constantinople, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Smyrna, two thousand dollars.
Beirut, two thousand dollars.

Jerusalem, one thousand dollars.
Alexandria, three thousand five hundred dollars.

BARBARY STATES.
Tangier, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Algiers, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Tunis, two thousand five hundred dollars.

CHINA.
Canton, three thousand dollars.
Shanghai, three thousand dollars.
Hong Kong, three thousand dollars.
Fouchow, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Ningpo, two thousand five hundred dollars.

JAPAN.
Simoda, one thousand dollars.
Hakodadi, one thousand dollars.

BORNEO.
Brunei, one thousand dollars.

SANDWICH ISLANDS.
Honolulu, four thousand dollars.

HAWAII.
Port-au-Prince, two thousand dollars.
City of St. Domingo, fifteen hundred dollars.

MEXICO.
Veracruz, three thousand five hundred dollars.
Acapulco, two thousand dollars.

CENTRAL AMERICA.
San Juan del Sur, two thousand dollars.

NEW GRANADA.
Panama, three thousand five hundred dollars.
Aspinwall, two thousand five hundred dollars.

VENEZUELA.
Laguayra, fifteen hundred dollars.

BRAZIL.
Rio de Janeiro, six thousand dollars.
Pernambuco, two thousand dollars.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.
Buenos Ayres, two thousand dollars.

CHILE.
Callo, three thousand five hundred dollars.

VALPARAISO, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That, from and after the thirtieth day of June next, the President of the United States shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint consuls and commercial agents for the United States to reside at the following places, who shall receive, during their continuance in office, an annual compensation for their services not exceeding the amount specified herein for each, and who shall be at liberty to transact business:

GREAT BRITAIN.
Southampton, one thousand dollars.
Bristol, one thousand dollars.
Leith, one thousand dollars.
Dublin, one thousand dollars.
Cork, one thousand dollars.

FRANCE.
Calcutta, one thousand dollars.
Bombay, one thousand dollars.
Singapore, one thousand dollars.
Gibraltar, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
Island of Malta, one thousand dollars.
Cape Town, one thousand dollars.
Port Louis, one thousand dollars.

SPAIN.
St. John's, (N. B.), one thousand dollars.
Pictou, one thousand dollars.
Cape Town, one thousand dollars.
Sydney, one thousand dollars.
Falkland Islands, one thousand dollars.
Hobart Town, one thousand dollars.
Raroua, one thousand dollars.

TURKEY.
Istanbul, one thousand dollars.
Barbadoes, one thousand dollars.
Island of Trinidad, one thousand dollars.
St. Helena, one thousand dollars.
St. Christopher, one thousand dollars.
Antigua, one thousand dollars.
Ceylon, one thousand dollars.

RUSSIA.
Odessa, fifteen hundred dollars.
Galatz, one thousand dollars.

FRANCE.
Marseilles, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
Miquelon, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

SPAIN.
Barcelona, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
Manilla, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

PORTUGAL.
Macao, one thousand dollars.
Mozambique, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
Seyla, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
St. Jago Cape Verde, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

HANOVER AND NEW BRUNSWICK.
Hanover, five hundred dollars.

MECKLENBERG-SCHWERIN AND MECKLENBURG-STRELTZ.
Schwerin, five hundred dollars.

OLDENBURG.
Oldenburg, five hundred dollars.

DANISH DOMINIONS.
Santa Cruz, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

SWEDEN AND NORWAY.
Gothenburg, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

AUSTRIA.
Venice, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

SARDINIA.
Spezia, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

GREECE.
Athens, one thousand dollars.

TURKEY.
Candia, one thousand dollars.
Cyprus, one thousand dollars.

IONIAN ISLANDS.
Zante, one thousand dollars.

AFRICA.
Monrovia, one thousand dollars.
Zanzibar, one thousand dollars.

NEW ZEALAND.
Bay Islands, one thousand dollars.

HAWAII.
Cape Haytien, one thousand dollars.
Aux Cayes, five hundred dollars.

MEXICO.
Mexico, one thousand dollars.

CENTRAL AMERICA.
Cartagena, five hundred dollars.
Sabanilla, five hundred dollars.

VENEZUELA.
Cienfuegos, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
Maracaibo, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

BRAZIL.
Maranhão Island, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.
Rio Grande, one thousand dollars.
Bahia, one thousand dollars.

CHILE.
Montevideo, one thousand dollars.

PERU.
Talcahuano, one thousand dollars.

SANDWICH ISLANDS.
Hilo, one thousand dollars.

NAVIGATORS' ISLAND.
Apia, one thousand dollars.

SOCIETY ISLANDS.
Tahiti, one thousand dollars.

FEJEE ISLANDS.
Lanthalu, one thousand dollars.

HOLLAND.
Batavia, one thousand dollars.

PARAGUAY.
Paraguarí, five hundred dollars.

NEW GRANADA.
Cortacora, five hundred dollars.

VENEZUELA.
Cienfuegos, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

BRAZIL.
Rio Grande, one thousand dollars.

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Bahia, one thousand dollars.

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